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Cc: Bob Angelo[Angelo.Bob@epa.gov]

From: DeLashmit, John

Sent: Tue 6/14/2016 7:06:42 PM **Subject:** MO's Lake NNC Development

Hey John, is Trent Stober under contract to MDNR to help it develop lake NNC? We'd like to know if he's been retained by the state of if he's just a very interested and involved stakeholder.

JD

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From: Hoke, John [mailto:john.hoke@dnr.mo.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, June 14, 2016 11:44 AM

To: DeLashmit, John < Delashmit.John@epa.gov > **Subject:** Cave Springs Branch Biological Report

John,

As requested. The latest Biological Assessment Report for Cave Springs Branch, McDonald County (Missouri) and Delaware County (Oklahoma) can be found on the department's website at the following link –

http://dnr.mo.gov/env/esp/wqm/docs/CaveSpringsBranchBioReportFY14.pdf. The

Bioassessment Report indicates that Cave Springs Branch is attaining biological criteria at the most downstream site in Oklahoma (Site #1), is inconclusive at the near downstream site in Oklahoma (Site #2), and is impaired at Site #3 on the Missouri/Oklahoma State Line. The report also details methodologies used for the assessment and what may be further interest for pollutant reduction efforts (mainly chloride and sulfate).

Hope that helps. Please let me know if you have questions or need additional information or data. Thanks

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